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INFORMATION RECORDING MEDIUM,  
INFORMATION RECORDING AND/OR  
REPRODUCING APPARATUS AND METHOD,  
COMPUTER PROGRAM FOR CONTROLLING  
RECORD OR REPRODUCTION, AND DATA  
STRUCTURE INCLUDING CONTROL SIGNAL

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Prior to the first Official Action, please amend the  
above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing  
of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin 17 of this paper.